Problems we have faced
Station Problems... location
Station Problems... insects
Station Problems... climate
Agricultural Stewardship Program

Our mission is to Protect Water Quality, Address Environmental Concerns, while Preserving the Business of Farming on Long Island for future generations.

History

Due to concerns of agricultural contaminants being found in ground water, the Suffolk County Legislature adopted legislation in 2004 to provide funding through the Suffolk County Water Quality Protection Funds for Cornell Cooperative Extension to take the lead role in developing and implementing a voluntary program to address the leaching of nitrogen fertilizer and pesticides into groundwater. Since then the Agricultural Stewardship Program has worked in conjunction with CCE’s agricultural specialists and CI farmers to provide the commercial agricultural industry with available nutrient management tools to help improve environmental quality and water quality.